Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to re

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT
(Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)
,

	Application Number		10664473				
	Filing Date			2003-09-17			
	First Named Inventor	Carey	E. Garibay et al.				
	Art Unit		3621				
	Examiner Name	Charl	es C. Agwumezie				
	Attorney Docket Number		BEAS-01454US7				

	1						1				ΙП
Examiner Initial*	Cite Foreign Document No Number ³				Kind Publication Code ⁴ Date		Name of Patente Applicant of cited Document	e or	vhere Rel	or Relevan	Ts
	_			FOREIG	SN PAT	ENT DOCUM	IENTS		Remove		_
If you wis	h to a	dd additional U.S. Publi	shed Ap	plication	citation	n information p	please click the Ad	d button	Add		
	1										
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Publication Number	Kind Code ¹	d Publication de ¹ Date		Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document		Releva		Lines whe	
			U.S.P	ATENT	APPLK	CATION PUB	LICATIONS		Remove		
If you wisi	h to ac	dd additional U.S. Pater	t citatio	n inform	ation pl	ease click the	Add button.		Add		
	3	5960189		1999-09	1-28	Stupek et al.					
	2	5671412		1997-09	1-23	Christiano					
	1	6816842		2004-11	1-09	Singh et al.					
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Patent Number	Kind Code ¹	Issue E	ate	Name of Pate of cited Docu	entee or Applicant iment	Releva		Lines whe les or Rele	

U.S.PATENTS

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)

Application Number		10664473
Filing Date		2003-09-17
First Named Inventor Carey		E. Garibay et al.
Art Unit		3621
Examiner Name Charle		es C. Agwumezie
Attorney Docket Number		BEAS-01454US7

If you wish	to a	id add	onal Foreign Patent Docum	ent citation information please	e click the Add buttor	Add					
			NON-PA	TENT LITERATURE DOCUM	MENTS	Remove					
Examiner Cite Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the (book, magazine, journal, sorial, symposium, catalog, etc), date, pages(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where publisher.							Тв				
	1										
If you wish	wish to add additional non-patent literature document citation information please click the Add button Add										
				EXAMINER SIGNATURE							
Examiner	Signa	ture			Date Considered						
				r or not citation is in conformaticude copy of this form with							

1 See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.ISPTO.QQU or MPEP 901.04. 2 Enter office that issued the document, by the hor-deter code (WIPO Standard 513.) 3 ero Justinese petant counters, the included not the year of the insper or may preced the serial runber of the petant of business of the Emperor want precede the serial runber of the petant of business of the Emperor want precede the serial runber of the petant of business of the Emperor want precede the serial runber of the petant of business of the Emperor want preceded the serial runber of the Petant Order of the Emperor want of the Emper

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)

	Application Number		10664473		
	Filing Date			2003-09-17	
	First Named Inventor	Carey	E. Garibay et al.		
Art Unit			3621		
	Examiner Name	Charl	es C. Agwumezie		
	Attorney Docket Number		BEAS-01454US7		

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

				selection(s):	

That each item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement. See 3T CPR 1.97(e)(1).

OR

That no item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, to the knowledge of the person signing the certification after making reasonable inquity, no item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was known to any individual designated in 37 CFR 156(c) more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement. See 37 CFR 157(e).

- See attached certification statement.
- Fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17 (p) has been submitted herewith.
- _

SIGNATURE

A signature of the applicant or representative is required in accordance with CFR 1.33, 10.18. Please see CFR 1.4(d) for the form of the signature.

_			
Signature	/Joseph P. O'Malley/	Date (YYYY-MM-DD)	2007-08-06
Name/Print	Joseph P. O'Malley	Registration Number	36226

This collection of information is required by 3T CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is for life railed by the USPTO to process) and application. Confidentiality is governed by \$5 U.S. C. 12.04 and 3T CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1 hour to complete, including gathering, preparing and submitting the completed application from the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case: Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Pleatert and Trademark Office, U.S. operatment of Commence, P.O. 8bx 1449, Alexandriv, V.S. 2311-1450, D.O. NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. 8bx 1459, Alexandria, V.S. 2311-1450.

Privacy Act Statement

The Privacy Act of 1974 (P. L. 93-579) requires that you be given certain information in connection with your submission of the stackhold from related to a patient application or patient. Accordingly, pursuant to the requirements of the Act, places be advised that (1) the general authority for the collection of this information is 35 U.S.C. 2(b)(2); (2) familishing of the information solicided is couldrain; and (3) the primoral pursuance for which the information is used by the U.S. Patient and Trademan Coffice is to process and/or examine your submission related to a patient agricultant or patient. If you do not furnish the requested process and/or examine your submission related to a patient agricultant or patient. If you do not furnish the requested results of the patient of the patient and the patient of the patient

The information provided by you in this form will be subject to the following routine uses:

- The information on this form will be treated confidentially to the extent allowed under the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552) and the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552a). Records from this system of records may be disclosed to the Department of Justice to determine whether the Freedom of Information Act requires disclosure of these record s.
 - A record from this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, in the course of presenting evidence to a court, magistrate, or administrative tribunal, including disclosures to opposing counsel in the course of settlement negotiation.
 - A record in this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to a Member of Congress submitting a request involving an individual, to whom the record pertains, when the individual has requested assistance from the Member with respect to the subject matter of the record.
 - A record in this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to a contractor of the Agency having need for the information in order to perform a contract. Recipients of information shall be required to comply with the requirements of the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(m).
 - A record related to an International Application filed under the Patent Cooperation Treaty in this system of records
 may be disclosed, as a routine use, to the International Bureau of the World Intellectual Property Organization, pursuant
 to the Patent Cooperation Treaty.
 - A record in this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to another federal agency for purposes of National Security review (35 U.S.C. 181) and for review pursuant to the Atomic Energy Act (42 U.S.C. 218(c)).
 - 7. A record from this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to the Administrator, General Services, or hisher designed, uturing an insection of records conducted by GSA as part of that agency's responsibility to recommend improvements in records management practices and programs, under authority of 4d U.S.C. 2904 and 2905. Such disclosure shall be made in accordance with the GSA requisions governing inseption of records for this purpose, and any other relevant (i.e., GSA or Commerce) directive. Such disclosure shall not be used to make determinations about individuals.
- A record from this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to the public after either publication of the
 application pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 12(2) or issuance of a patent pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 151. Further, a record may be
 disclosed, subject to the limitations of 37 CFR 1.14, as a routine use, to the public if the record was filled in application
 which became abandoned or in which the proceedings were terminated and which application is referenced by either a
 published application, an application open to public inspections or as issued patent.
 - A record from this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to a Federal, State, or local law enforcement agency, if the USPTO becomes aware of a violation or potential violation of law or regulation.